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| REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL | |
| MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | Application Number 09/435,448 Confirmation Number 5236 Filing Date November 22, 1999 First Named Inventor Yasuyoshi YAMADA Group Art Unit 2827 Examiner Name Graybill, David E. Matter Number Q56857 Title BACK ELECTRODE TYPE ELECTRONIC PART AND ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLY WITH THE SAME MOUNTED ON PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD |
| Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995 | |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. Previously submitted
 - i. Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on October 28, 2004
 - ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

- i. Amendment/Reply
- ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
- iv. Petition for Extension of Time
- v. Other _____

2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months
- b. Other _____

3. FEES

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$790.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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